Weekly Standard

Wednesday, Dec. 22, 1869.

We learn from the Journal that there are 1515 white, and 4,020 colored children in be county of New Hanover. We understand Dr. Hawkins contemplates

oning a night train over the Raleigh and aston Road, with sleeping cars attached an early day. A white man, name unknown, was run ever by the 4 o'clock train, on the Wilming-

on road, at Marleboro', and killed. The ger says he could not be identified, being

The Wilmington Star relates the particulars of a recent difficulty between Mr. Owen Holmes of Brunswick, and two of his hands a which one of the hands was badly wounded. Weapons used, sticks. The stockholders of the "Ralcigh Na-

ional Bank of North Carolina," will bear n mind to attend a meeting of their Company at their Banking house on the second ruesday in January, 1870. Sec notice. His Excellency, Gov. Holden, has ordered

a special term of Edgecombe Superior Court. to commence on the 3rd Monday in January. 150, at which time civil cases only, will be tried. Judge E. W. Jones to preside. NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE, - The seand session of the North Carolina Confer-

ence of the Methodist Episcopal Church, sill be held in the town of High Point, commencing January 6, 1870, Bishop James presiding. BETTER STAY WHERE YOU ARE KNOWN. The Observer says on Tuesdays the ticket

gent of the C. C. & A. Railroad, at Charlotte sold sixty through tickets to Memphis,mostly to persons who propose to emigrate a the South and West. LABOR IN DEMAND SOUTH .- We notice that there are several gentlemen from Alaand and other points South, in our State

oking for laborers and mechanics. Price er mechanics \$50 per month-for common aborers \$20, with expenses paid to place of It is represented that cotton grows to betadvantage, in every respect, out in Venezucla, than any other portion of the earth. Yowing that to be so, then there is another jet, they have the largest snakes, and the

frica-and so, we'll stay in North Carolina The Salisbury Examiner says "as the train om the East started from Salisbury for harlotte on the evening of the 13th a colged nurse having forgotten a baby's cap, sent back to get it, and it attempting to et upon the ears just as they were moving ff, when losing her balance she fell between he cars and was run over, and her arm cut

past ferocious "varmints"-not excepting

The President of the North Carolina Railand informs us that within a week or two will have on his road two elegant Sleeping Cars for the accommodation of the trav-

hine. The N. C. Road, under the manageent of Major Smith, has done well, with most flattering prospects for the future.

Mr. T. C. Evans, of the Hillsboro' Recordinnounces an arrangement, whereby C. N. Evans, Esq., of the Milton Chronicle is to elp edit the Recorder, and the paper is to enlarged and improved. Evans, junior, now off making the necessary preparaions for the improvement. Strong teamand we wish you, financially, heavy returns or your labor.

LET THE PEOPLE NOW ACT .- It remains www for the people to petition the Postmas-General and have restored to them the mil routes which have been discontinued or so many years. We trust, therefore, that they will at once hold meetings and get up etitions, suggest suitable persons for postnaster and mail carrier, and forward at ace to either of our Representatives in ingress, and we shall forthwith have all e mail facilities we desire. Lose no time making the move.

INCENDIARISM IN COLUMBUS COUNTY .-The Wilmington Star "regrets to learn from Sheriff Richardson, of Columbus counthat incendiaries have commenced their evilish work in that county. At a place mown as "Pine Log," two miles from Whiteville, on Friday night last, the stables Messrs. Rockwell & Spivey were burned the ground, together with four fine mules, ex of harness, a barrel of pork, a sack of te, and other goods; also about fifty shels of corn. On the same night the orn of Mr. E. C. Watkins, located near the ove stables, together with it; contents,

as entirely consumed."

The boys and girls- the father and the nother-all are interested in the gaities and estivities of the Christm s holiday. As in den times, the ancient customs will again repeated this year-many a little foot ill go to bed bare, while diminutive stockings will hang on the mantle, near the fire place, to receive presents at the hands of Santa-Claus. Now it would be cruel not to off the stockings and gladden the expecant little sleepers, and we suppose every apa and mama think precisely as we doand if they do, Thiem's is the place to get be very things so much needed. The asthent of notions is tempting and pleas-

The Olserror gets off the following piece wholesome advice in the right timewith the close of the old year. It is worthy of wrious consideration, and we commend it our readers for its entire truthfulness: thor-home merchants-home press artisans-home everything, and near as possible, in order to do it is supporting and siding in buildweveryday neighbor, place, coune. Also, patronize those who de the mechanics and those who through our paper to keep their busipeople. It shows businessprice spirit it means to live live. When you find the latter kind ness men you find men who will liberally with you-looking to both of the trade instead of one. Try it, friends, and see if we are not in the main

AGRICULTURAL - The New York Weekly bune is a Farmer's paper. Its Agricultu Department, valuable always, containing does full reports of the American Inte Farmers' Club, and articles written y other attractive features in a Hortiral Department, which will comprise at of small farms, fruits and vede culture, and how to make them pay. a veterinary department, for which James Law, Veterinary Surgeon in well University, has been engaged to anquestions concerning diseases of cattle,

s, sheep and other domestic animals,

rescribe remedies through the columns

e weekly Tribune. See advertisement

THE LEGISLATURE.

In the Senate, Thursday, Dec. 16, '69 UNFINISHED BUSINESS
Being a bill to charter the Planter's Railroad
Company through the counties of Onslow and
Duplin on the 2nd reading. Passed.
A bill making appropriations for the Deaf and
Dumb and Blind Asylum, passed its second

A bill to provide for the support of the Invane asylum for the next fiscal year, passed its third reeding.

A bill to repeal an act amendatory of an act incorporating the Western N. C. Railroad.

And all acts amendatory thereof ratified February, 1855, passed its third reading.

The following message from the Governor was transmitted from the House for the consideration of the Senate.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 16.
To the Honorable the General Assembly

To the Honorable the General Assembly of North Carolina.

Allow me respectfully to call your attention to the necessity there exists for such amendments to the milital law as will enable the executive to repel violence and disorder in certain localities in this State and to protect the persons of citizens, their lives and their property.

Since my last annual message, dated November 16th, 1869, numerous outrages of the most flagrant character have been committed on peaceful and law-abiding citizens by persons masked and armed and who have thus far escaped the civil law. I have adopted such measures as were

and armed and who have thus far escaped the civil law. I have adopted such measures as were in my power to ferret out and bring to justice all breakers of the law without reference to their color or to what political party or parties, and I am satisfied that the Judges and Solicitors in the various circuits have been prompt and energetic in the discharge of their duties.

Notwithstanding this, the outrages referred to seem to be rather on the increase in certain localities in so much that many good citizens are in a constant state of icar, and society in said localities is in a deplorable condition.

It is for your honorable body to apply the remedy to so strengthen the arm of the Excentive as to enable him to repress these outruges and restore peace and order. I have confidence in your wisdom and your regard for law and in the disposition which I teel there exists in every member of your honorable body to adopt such a measure as will speedily put an end to the evils complained of. wils complained of.
I have the honor to be, gentlemen, with great
W. W. Holden,
Governor.

Mr. Shoffner moved that the rules be suspend. ar. Snother moved that the rincodece a bill of ed in order that he might introduce a bill of which no no notice had been given, and that it be put on its final passage. Agreed to, Yeas 20. Nays 11. The bill read as follows:

AN ACT TO SECURE THE BETTER PROTECTION O LIFE AND PROPERTY. The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact, That the Governor is hereby authorized and empowered whenever in his judgment the civil authorities in any county are anable to protect its citizens in the enjoyment of life and property, to declare such counties in a state of insurrection and to call into active service the railitia of the State to such an extent as may become necessary to repress such insurrection. come necessary to repress such insurrection Sec. 2. That the Governor is hereby author ized and empowered to request the President of the United States to suspend the writ of babeas corpus in any county or counties declared under authority of this act to be in a state of insur-rection, and to afford such assistance as in his judgment may be necessary to enforce obedience to law.

Sec. 3. That upon motion of the solicitor of a District it shall be the duty of the Judge therof to remove the trial of any person indicted for murder, conspiracy, and in violation of an act ratified the 12th day of April, 1869, from the country with the property of the ounty where such offence may have been con itted to such other county as the solicitor ma Sec. 4. That the expenses attending the call-

and where such service was rendered to reim burse within one year the Treasurer of the Stat-the expenses thus paid; Provided, That wheneve the expenses thus paid; Provided, That whenever a person or persons shall have been convicted of a violation of the act mentioned in section 3 of the act said expenses of the militia shall be taxed on the bill of costs against the person or persons convicted, and when collected the same shall be paid into the Treasury of such county. Sec. 5. That all laws or clauses of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

tituents, on the representations of men of the highest respectability and undoubted veracity in his county. The threatenings, the conspiracies, and the many violations of law and order, called for such a course as the only one left to secure the blessings of liberty in the security of life and property. He even had been threatened with violence, and perhaus death to the introduction of this bill, but he would stand firmly in his pos-ition to do the bidding of his constituents, and

ition to do the bidding of his constituents, and it was his unbounded duty to do so.

The bill passed by the following vote,
YEAS—Mesers. Bellamy, Brogden, Blythe Burns, Cook, Cherry, Eppes, Forkner, Galloway,
Hayes, Harrington, Hyman, Jones of Columbus,
Jones of Wake, Lassiter, Legg, Long, Martindale, Moore of Carteret, Moore of Yancey, Richardson, Shoffner, Stephens, Sweet, Welker, Winstead—36. NAYS-Messrs. Beall, Beeman, Graham. Jones

of Mecklenburg, Lindsay, Melchor, Murphy, Respass, Robbins, Scott, Wilson-11. On motion the Senate adjourned until seven

CALENDAR. House bill in favor of the Sheriff of Cumbi

land county, allowing him until the first Mon-day in February in 1870 to make his return of taxes to the county Treasurer. Passed its 2nd reading.

A bill in favor of Nathaniel R. Jones, Sheriff

of Warren county, allowing him to the first day
of March to collect taxes.

Mr. Richardson moved to insert the name of
J. W. Patterson, of Moore county.

Mr. Lindsay moved to insert C. S. Alfred tax
collector of Rockingham county. Adopted.

Mr. Blythe moved to insert the Sheriff of
Henderson and Transylvania counties. Adopted. Mr. Sweet moved to amend by inserting the

Mr. Sweet moved to amend by inserting the Sheriff of Craven county. Adopted.

Mr. Beall moved to insert the Sheriff of Csldwell county. Adopted.

Mr. Colgrove moved to insert the Sheriff of Burke and Pitt counties.

Mr. Hyman cailed for the previous question.

The bill, as amended, passed its several readings.

In the House, Thursday, Dec. 16: Received a message from the Governor, asking attention to the necessity of so amending the militia law, as to give the Governor the necessa-ry power to suppress the commission of out-rages in certain counties of the State. Ordered

Mr. Seymour moved that there be printed 20 additional copies for the use of each member of the General Assembly. Carried.

Mr. Wilkie called up the bill to require County Commissioners to meet but once a month.

The Judiciary committee reported a substi-tute for the bill, which substitute declared that the County Commissioners shall not draw per diem and mileage for more than ... days per annum, and that the Township Trustees shall not draw pay for more than ... days per year. Mr. Yestal moved to fill the blanks with the

number 15.
Mr. Franklin moved to insert 50.
Mr. Reynolds moved to insert 24.
Mr. Proctor moved to lay the whole matter on the table. Lost, yeas 21, nays 54. Mr. French moved to insert 30.

Mr. Franklis moved to postpone the consider ation of the bill till the fourth Monday in Jan

uary, 1870. Lost.
Mr. Morris moved to fill the blank with 20. mencing with the one for the largest number, resulting in the rejection of all but that of Mr. Reynolds, which was to fill the blanks with Mr. Candler moved to strike out in the sub-

Mr. Candler moved to strike out in the substitute the word "mileage."

Mr. Price moved to lay the amendment on the table. Lost, yeas 5, nays 73.

Mr. Vest moved to refer the bill to the committee on Salaries and Fees. Lost.

Mr. Candler's amendment was adopted, i. e., to strike out the word "mileage."

Mr. Williams of Harnett moved to reconsider the vote by which the number "24" was insertted in the blanks. Lost.

Mr. Eagles moved to indefinitely postpone the bill. Lost.

Mr. Franklin moved to postpone the bill till the 15th of January, 1870. Lost.

Mr. Frankin moved to postpone the bill full the list of January, 1870. Lost.
Mr. Vest moved to except from the provisions of the substitute the County of Forsythe.
Mr. Eagles moved as an amendment to except the County of New Hanover. Accepted,
Mr. Franklin moved to except the County of Wake. Accepted.
Mr. Blair moved to except the County of Ban-John. Accepted.

lph. Accepted. Mr. Kinney moved to except the County of Oavidson. Accepted.
Mr. Peck moved to except the County of degecombe. Accepted.
Mr. Seymour called the previous quertion.

Mr. Seymour called the previous quertion. Sustained.
The motion of Mr. Vest (which included the Counties accepted by him) was lost.
The substitute of the Judiciary Committee, as amended, was adopted.
The bill passed its second reading, and was put upon its third reading.
Mr. Seymour offered a substitute, embodying the ideas advanced by Mr. Pearson. The substitute proposed that in the counties which pay a combined State and county tax amounting to \$15,000 and under, the Commissioners shall not be entitled to receive per diem for more than 18 days; those paying over \$15,000 and under \$25,000, the Commissioners to be entitled to not more than 24 days' per diem; those paying over \$25,000 and under \$40,000, the Commissioners to be entitled to not more than 30 days' per diem; and those paying over \$40,000, the Commissioners to be entitled to not more than 40 days' per diem. No mileage allowed.
Mr. Smith, of Alleghany, moved to strike out he the substitute "18 days" and insert "15 days." Lost.

Mr. Durham moved to stilke out "15days" and insert "20 days."

Mr. Smith, of Alleghany, moved to amend the
substitute by declaring that in those counties
which paid \$8,000 and under, the commissioners

hall not receive per diem for more than 15 days.

The motion prevalled, and was incorporated

adoption of the motion. He urged as a reason why the bill should be passed that a majority of the people of Goldsbore', and of the people proposed to be annexed to that town, desired it.

Mr. Seymour urged the passage of the bill.

Mr. Pearson called the previous question. Sustained

The motion to indefinitely postpone the was lost. Yeas 27, mays 46.

The bill then passed its third reading.

Mr. Sweat moved 10 reconsider the vote by which the House on yesterday tabled the bill to ix the fees of County Treasurers.

Pending the consideration of the motion, the lonse adjourned till to-morrow morning 10 clock.

In the Senate, Friday, Dec. 17, 1869. THE CALBNDAR.

THE CALENDAR.

A bill to incorporate the Planters Railroad Company on its 2nd reading.

Mr. Forkner moved that the further consideration of the bill be postponed until the 12th day of January, 1870, and be made the special order for 12 o'clock. Agreed to.

A resolution that the rules of the Sanate be so amended that bills can be introduced without giving previous notice of the same.

Mr. Robbins noved that the further consideration of the resolution be postponed until after recess. Agreed to.

ecess. Agreed to.

A resolution in relation to Penitentiary bonds
Resolved, That the Public Treasurer be in Resolved, That the Public Treasurer be instructed to make no payments of coupons of bonds issued for Penltentiary site. Passed.

A bill to allow enterers of vacant lands further time to obtain grants from the State.

Mr. Forkner moved a suspension of the rules in order to put the bill on its passage. Agreed to. The bill passed its several readings.

Mr. Sweet rose to a question of privilege and desired to call the attention of the Senate to an article which appeared in this morning's Sentinel, parporting to be copied from the Winston Sentinel, a Democratic sheet, that probably was never known out of the village in which it was published. As far as he was concerned he never leard of the existence of such a journal before, and presumed that no other Senator on the floor did.

he was represented as misleading the people and knowingly misrepresenting everything in regard to the tenure of office of the General Assembly and that Judge Tourgee and Mr. Heaton corre orated this assertion.

Mr. Sweet said he would deal with these may be said he would deal with the would deal with the would deal with the said he would deal with the would deal with the said he would deal with the would deal

Mr. Sweet said he would deal with these malicious slanders in as quiet a temper as possible. In regard to Judge Tourgee as represented to have made this assertion, he believed it to be a base and heinous lie, because he was intimately acquainted with Judge Tourgee for several years and he believed him to be a gentleman of strict veracity. As to the truth of what he would refer them to the Senator from Orange (Mr. Graham) and the Senator from Forsyth (Mr. Forkaer) who were both members of the Convention. If there was one quality he endcavored to cultivate above another it was the straight forward, manly way of reaching results; and if Judge Tourgee above alother it was the straight forward, manly way of reaching results; and if Judge Tourgee made use of the allegation represented in this article, he would have uttored an unfounded, base falsehood, but he was confident the Judge never made use of any such expression.

Mr. Sweet read part of the article in relation to Judge Tourgee preparing a section stating that the Legislature should hold over four years and four mouths, and where Mr. Sweet is represented as going behind the Speakers desk and drawing up the present section so as to mislead the people as to their meaning.

Mr. Sweet said this was another glaring falsehood, which the Senators from Forsythe and Orange could sustain. The General Assembly had not been elected at the time and neither Sweet nor Tourgee ever went behind the Speakers desk to consult on any proposition whatever he would have no reason to call attention to this matter now but could not remain silent. Such silence would be taken as an admission of the correctness of this statement. He would write to Judge Tourgee, in versail to this water and to the statement of this matter now

silence would be taken as an admission of the correctness of this statement. He would write to Judge Tourgee in regard to this matter, and then if the question should require it, he would have more to say on the subject.

What he had said on this question of privilege he supposed would not satisfy the Raleigh Scatinal whose editor he believed was totally incapable of appreciating an honest and disinterested motive, but it would be amply sufficient for those who were acquainted with his character, politically and socially, but then persons who were unacquainted with him might believe such statements, and for that reason he occupied the attention of the Senate. He should write to Judge Tourgee and Mr. Heaton, enclosing them the article, and then, it it was deem necessary

article, and then, if it was deem necessar receipt of their replies he should have me In conclusion, he would say that it was no

till after the Convention adjourned that the con-dict in this respect came upon his attention, when he glanced over it and no man could have a deeper and more sincer regret because of the conflict discovered in this section. conflict discovered in this section.

The Senator from Orange, whose political sympathics are such as to incline altogether the other way would corroborate his statement.

Mr. Forkner said he was a member of the Committee to which the Senator had referred, and as har as his knowledge extended every word uttered by him (Mr. Sweet) in vindication of his believed if Mr. Sweet would examine the reords of Forsythe County, he would feel that he s not as much slandered as he supposes he is at ie present time. Mr. Graham said the state of the Senator from

Gracian said the state of the Senator from Craven is correct, and he would state, if there was anything wrong about this matter, he did not believe the Senator from Craven had anything to do with it.

According to his recollection there never was According to his recollection there never was any discussion as to the term of office of the Legislature, nor was there anything said about the Legislature holding over four years. If there was ever such a thing as fraud contemplated or designed, he was positively certain that the gentieman (Mr. Sweet) had no participation in it.

Senate bill to enlarge the powers of County Commissioners passed its second reading.

A bill to provide a system of public instruction passed.

tion passed.

A message was received from the House transmitting a bill which passed that body extending the corporate limits of the town of Goldsboro!

A bill to amend an act authorizing the formation of corporations for manufacturing, mining, mechanical, chemical, and other purposes passed its 2d reacing.

A bill to adow pay to Jurors and witnesses in certain case. ertain cases.

Mr. Blythe said it was a matter of justice to

Mr. Blythe said it was a matter of justice to allow juror and witness, summoned before magistrates, some compensation. He could not see any reason why they should not receive if summoned to appear on magistrates court equally with other summons before other courts. The same principle would apply to both. It gentlemen imagined \$1.50 as too large a sum be was willing to amend the bill by inserting \$1, but certainly if they were compelled to serve as jurors or give evidence in magistrates' courts they should be paid for it.

Mr. Shoffner differed from the Senator from Yadkin (Mr. Blythe.) In the first place

Mr. Sholher differed from the Senator from Yadkin (Mr. Blythe.) In the first place there was no necessity for such a provision, as a matter of course, people in general were and ought to be willing to assist their neighbors by evidence and otherwise to settle their little difficulties. As the law now stands all good respect this men are willing to be put to any amount o able men are willing to be put to any amount of trouble to settle the affairs of their neighbors and to iscilitate the administration of justice. But if a law of this kind passed giving a \$1.50 to every person summoned in these courts the result would be deplorable and would only de-feat the ends of justice and law instead of pro-moting them. Men would be in attendance every day (who did not much care how they gave their testiments to all the properties of the second of the second of the second control of the second of the second of the second of the second testiments. day (who did not much care how they gave their testimony) to fill these positions not for the purpose of serving impartially in the administration of justice, but merely for their own special use, and to thwart the speedy vindications of the law. He would therefore move that the bill be postponed indefinitely. Agreed to. The bill to incorporate the Franconia Manufacturing Company in the county of Duplin failed to pass on its second reading. No quorum voting.

In the House, Friday, Dec. 17, 1869.

Mr. Seymour moved for a call of the roll, it was evident that Democratic members had ab-ented themselves for the purpose of preventing he attendance of a quorum. The roll was called, and 68 Representatives anvered to their names—a quorum.

Mr. Wilkle favored a suspension of further Mr. Seymour thought it impracticable to trans-ted business with only 62 members.

Mr. French moved that the Doorkeeper be in-tructed to search for the absentees, take them atto custody, and bring them before the bar of the House; and in the meantime, that no mem-er be permitted to leave the Hall except by onsent of the Speaker. Carried.

The attendance of a quorum having been se-ured, on motion of Mr. Leary further proceed-ness under the call were dispensed with. cedings under the call.

cured, on motion of Mr. Leary further proceed-ings under the call were dispensed with. Resumed consideration of the resolution in relation to defaulting sheriffs. Mr. Justice moved that the consideration be postponed until the second Tuesday in January 1870. Carried. Mr. Hodgin, on the part of the Finance Com-

nittee reported unfavorably to the resolution in avor of the Sheriff of Chatham county. Received sundry messages from the Senate in orming the House of its action on several bills nd resolutions.

Mr. Wilson introduced a bill to authorize the

Mr. Wilson introduced a bill to authorize the Commissioners of Burke County to levy a special tax. Laid over.

Mr. Seymour called up the Senate bill "to seeure the better protection of life an I property." He thought there were grave objections to the bill; but regarded its passage as necessary to the protection of life, as the civil law seemed to be wholly insufficient for that purpose. He would leave the discussion mostly to the opponents of the measure, and give away for that puryose.

No objection being made to the passage of the bill, a vote on the second reading of the same was as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Ashworth, Banner, Barnett, Biair, Carson, Carey, Cawthorn, Cherry, Dixon,

YEAS—Messrs. Ashworth, Banner, Barnett, Blair, Carson, Carey, Cawthorn, Cherry, Dixon, Downing, Eagles, Forkner, Foster, Franklin, Brench, Gahagan, Graham, Hilliard, Hodgin, Hoffman, Hudgings, Justus, of Henderson, Justice, of Rutherford, Kelly of Moore, Kinney, Leary, Mayo, McCanless, Morrill, Morris, Peck, Pou, Price, Ragland, Renfrow, Reymolds, Seymour, Sinclair, Stevens, Vestal, Vest, Waldrop, Williamson, Wilson, and Wiswall—46.

NAYS—Messrs. Ames and Ellington.

No quorum volus.

Mr. Seymour moved that there be a call of the House. He said that he found it difficult to say anything about the proceedings of the Democrats

Mr. Seymonr moved that there be a call of the House. He said that he found it difficult to say anything about the proceedings of the Democrats in this matter. He entertained kindly feelings towards many of them personally. He proposed to take no advantage of them. He desired to allow them to discuss this bill, to amend it if they could ofter reasonable macendments. They refuse to consider it, and seek to defeat it by not voting. It was charged, and he believed with truth, that there are portions of this State where life and property were not safe, where laws cannot be enforced, where grand juries dared not mallet, where witnesses dured not trailer. Mr. Seymour called the previous question. indict, where witnesses dared not testify, where Mr. Seymour called the previous question.
Sustained.

The substitute was adopted, and the bill passed third reading.
On motion of Mr. Seymour, the rules were suspended, and the resolution providing for holding evening sessions this week, was reseinded.

Mr. Pearson called up the bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Goldsboro'.
Mr. Smith of Wayne, moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed. He favored the motion in some remarks.

Mr. Pearson addressed the House against the

have heretolore, men shot down is individual cases. He charged the responsibility of it all—and of all heside that may coste apon the gentlemen who, knowing what is being done, will consent to no remedy. He desired the Republican members to do what they could to pass the act and if by factious opposition it falls, to let can memoers to do was they can be act and if by factions opposition it falls, to the onus rest where it justly belonged. He had the call of the House would be carried out. The motion then prevailed.

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Messra. Speaker, Ames, Ashworth, Banner, Barnett, Biair, Boddie, Carson, Carey, Cawthorn, Cherry, Crawford, Dixon, Downing, Durham, Eagles, Eilington, Ferrebee, Forkner, Foster, Franklin, French, Gahagan, Gilbert, Graham, Gnuter, Harris of Franklin, Hinnant, Hodgin, Horney, Hudgings, Jarvis, Justus, of Henderson, Justice of Rutherlord, Kelly of Moore, Kinney, Leary, Long, of Chatham, Mayo, McCanless, Memdenhall, Morrill, Morris, Nicholson, Pearson, Peck, Pou, Proctor, Ragland, Renfrow, Reynolds, Seymour, Sinclay, Simonds, Snipes, Stevens, Vestal, Vest, Waldrop, White, Williams of Sampson, Williamson, Wilson, Wiswall—64.

Mr. French moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Mr. Sinclair called the attention of the Democratic members to the condition of afiairs in the State—of the murders, whippings, and other outrages, and warned them of the result of their conduct in refusing to vote ou this measure. They might go outside of the bar of this llouse, and thus deleat the bill for want of a quorum, but in the meantime, if any outrages were committed, similar to those mentioned, and murder

and thus defeat the bill for want of a quorum, but in the meantime, it any outrages were committed, similar to those mentioned, and murder was met with murder, and whipping with whipping, &c., the blame would be entirely on them.

Mr. Seymour moved that the door be locked, and that no members be allowed to leave without the permission of the Speaker. Carried.

Mr. French moved that the Doorkeeper be instructed to bring absentees before the House; and that in the exercise of this duty, he be authorized to employ such assistance as was necessary. Carried.
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The roll was called, and 66 members answered to their names.

Mr. Frenen offered the following:

Ordered, That the Doorkeeper be and he is hereby instructed to place a sufficient number of pages around the House to prevent members from going outside of the bar of the House during the present call of the House.

Mr. Durham objected, saying that its adoption was a virtual amendment to the rules.

The objection was sustained by the Chair.

Mr. Sinclair said he wanted the bill passed for the protection of Democrats in his county. Re-

The objection was sustained by the Chair.

Mr. Sinclair said he wanted the bill passed for
the protection of Democrats in his county. Republicans were able to take care of themselves.
Reuben King was murdered; Messrs, Peacock
& McCallum's store was robbed and their still
burnt; John Taylor was robbed and his still
burnt; Wm. Sellers was robbed and James H.
McQueen was robbed. All these men were Democrats in Robeson county. Now when a bill
came up which would protect Democrats in that
county in the future, the Democratic members
refuse to vote by retiring beyond the bar of the
House, thereby defeating the bill, and refusing
succour to men of their own party.

Messrs, Sweat and Leary thought it useless to
attempt to pass the bill, and desired that the
House would proceed to other business.

Mr. Pou hoped that the House would go on
with the bill. He contended that under the Constitution it was not necessary that 61 votes
should be cast in order to pass a bill. The Constitution said "noither House shall proceed upon
public business unless a majority of all the memhers are oversent." He contended that if a me-

oublic business unless a majority of all the mem pers are present." He contended that if a ma jority was present—as was the case to-day— majority of that number could pass a bill. It believed that the Constitution did not sustain believed that the Constitution and not believed that 61 votes should be east in order to carry a bill.

Mr. Jarvis was willing to protect lite and prop-

rty, but thought the passage of the bill would ave a contrary effect.

Mr. Eagles addressed the House, and urged the passage of some measure that would protect the colored race in the enjoyment of their live and liberties.

Mr. Seymour moved to dispense with further proceedings under the call. Carried.

Mr. Wilkie appealed to the Democrats to vote. The bill would secure the protection of Democrats living in certain portions of the Eastern part of the State.

Mr. Seymour called the previous question on on the passage of the bill on its second reading. Ordered. and liberties.

The bill then passed its second reading by the

following vote:

YEAS.—Mr. Speaker, Messrs. Ashworth, Banner, Barnett, Blair, Carson, Carey, Cawthorn, Cherry, Crawford, Dixon, Downing, Eagles, Forkner, Foster, Franklin, French, Gahagan, Grahary, Hinnant, Hodgin, Hoffman, Hudgings, Justus of H., Justice of R., Kelly of Moore, Kinney, Leary, Long of Chatham, Mayo, McCanless, Moring, Morrill, Morris, Pearson, Peck, Pou, Price, Proctor, Ragland, Renfrow, Reyuolds, Seymour, Sinchair, Simonds, Stevens, Sweat, Vestal, Vest. Waldron, Wilkie, William. Reynolds, Seymour, Sinclair, Simonds, Stevens, Sweat, Vestal, Vest, Waldrop, Wilkie, Williamson, Wilson, Wiswall.—54
NAYS—Messrs. Ames, Gunter, Harris, of Franklin, Horney, Mendenhall, Snipes, White, Williams of Sanyas,

Williams of Sampson—S.

[Mr. Ames retired without the bar of the House on the third reading of the bill, thus de feating its passage. He thought the the bill would have a contrary effect to that it

The following is the vote on the third reading:
YEAS—Messrs. Speaker, Ashworth, Banner, Barnett, Blair, Carson, Carey, Cawthorn, Cherry Crawford, Dixon, Downing, Eagles, Forkner, Foster, Franklin, French, Gahagaa, Graham, Hinnant, Hodgin, Hoffman, Hudgings, Justus of Henderson, Justice of Rutherford, Kelly of Moore, Kinney, Leary, Long of Chatham, Mayo, McCanless, Moring, Morrill, Morris, Pearson, Peck, Pou, Price, Proctor, Ragiand, Renirow, Reynolds, Seymour, Sinclair, Simonds, Stevens, Sweat, Vestal, Vest, Waldrop, Williamson, Wilson and Wiswall—54.
Nays—Messrs. Ellington, Gunter, Horney, Mendenhall, Snipes and White—6.
There being but 60 votes, no qurum voted.
Mr. Seymour moved that the consideration of the bill on itz third reading be postponed until Thursday, January 13th, 1870. Carried.
On motion of Mr. French, the House then adjourned until Monday morning, Lext, 5 o'clock.

In the Senate, Saturday, Dec. 18, 1869 NOTICES OF BILLS. Mr. Forkner, a bill to change the time of holding court in the 8th judicial district. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Stephens, to fill the office of townsl.ip

Mr. Stephens, to fill the office of township clerk when vacancies occur. Referred to the Ju-diciary Committee. Mr. Jones of Mecklenburg, a bill to incorpo-rate the Georgetown and Charlotte Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Corrate the Georgetown and Charlotte Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Forkner moved that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to furnish the Judges of the Supreme Court with copies of the resolutions which passed the General Assembly asking their opinion as to the term of office of the same. Agreed to.

THE CALENDAR.
A resolution in favor of James P. Grady, Sheriff of Harnett County, allowing him until the 15th day of February, 1870, to settle with the Public Treasurer.
Mr. Forkner moved its postponement until THE CALENDAR. Mr. Forkner moved its postponement until after recess. Agreed to.

The following bills passed their 2nd reading. A bill to incorporate the Elizabeth City and Norfolk Railroad Company.

A bill to incorporate the Southern Copper Company.

Company
A bill to repeal chapter 240 of the laws of A bill to repeal chapter 240 of the laws of 1808-'69 authorizing the Commissioners of Chatham county to levy a special tax.
A bill to incorporate the Rock Spring Camp Ground in Rutherford county.
A bill to incorporate the Edgecombe Lodge of Masons, number 298.
A bill to incorporate the Randleman manufacturing company. aring company.

A bill to incorporate the Wilson Collegiate

A bill to incorporate the Wilson Collegiate
Seminary for young ladies.
A bill in relation to obstruction in Lumber
River in the county Robeson
A bill to amend an act concerning the power
and duties of State officers as far as regards the
office of Superintendent of Public Works.
A bill to incorporate the Meckanics Loan Association.

way Turnpike Company.

A bill to make the Yadkin river through A bill to make the Tankin river through Wilkes county a lawful fence.

A bill to amend an act to prevent the obstruction of fish in Little river.

A bill for the relief of the several Sheriffs of the State. A bill amending an act prohibiting the sale of spiritous liquors on the Western North Carolina On motion the Senate adjourned to Monday

A Duluth correspondent of the St. Paul Pioneer says: "When I came here last spring an Indian trail was used as road and In the Senate, Monday, Dec. 20, 1869. The President ratified the following:
A bill to allow enterers of vacant, lands further time to obtain grants from the State;
A bill providing for the support of the insane Asylum for the next fiscal year;
A joint resolution concerning pensions of solthe town. Now, sidewalks, elegant resi-dences, and first-class stores greet you on every corner. The telegraph carriers use

diers of the war of 1812; diers of the war of 1812;

A bill to extend the corporate limits of the town of Goldsboro;

A bill making an appropriation for the support of the Deaf and Dumb Asylum.

Ordered that a message be sent to the House informing that body of the readiness of the Senate to execute the joint resolution in regard to the taking of a recess, and asking concurrence the taking of a recess, and asking e same. ceived a message from the House anno-concurrence in the foregoing, when t

cling concurrence in the foregoing, when senate adjourned.

In the House, Monday, Dec. 22. Mr. White on the part of the Enrolling Com-mittee, reported the following bills correctly en-rolled, to which the Speaker affixed his signature and sent them to the Senate, viz: An act providing for the support of the Insane Asylum.

Resolutions concerning pensions of the sol-

diers of the war of 1812.

An act to extend the corporate limits of the town of Goldsboro.

An act making an appropriation for the support of the Deal and Dumb and Blind Asylum.

The Speaker gave notice, that because the calendar as it now stood, contained many bills illeatily written, with reports of committees, &c.. legibly written, with reports of committees, &c., in order to prepare it properly for use at the reassembling in January, he should order its engrossment: and ask of the House hereafter such farther appointment as may be deemed necessary for the purpose of maintaining it, and the other affairs of the desk, in the best condition for correet and thorough legislation.

Knocking the Bottom out of a Well. A man was lately arrested in Kansas city, Mo., for trespass on a neighbor's well. He tapped it on one side, but the owner caught him at it. As soon as he got out of court, after paying his fine, he dug into the side of the man's lot, about ten feet below the well, and then tapped it from the bottom.— But somebody who was drawing water from the top discovered a ray of light through the hole when the plug was out, and the man is again in jail. It is now supposed he has been the prime mover in other acts of a similar nature, several influential citizens having had their wells mysteriously drained, and fears are entertained that the offender

POLITICAL.

The Montana Legislature is without

There are 216 papers in Iowa, of whiel 47 are Republican The public debt was diminished \$3,800.

The Committe on Reconstruction had ecting on the admission of Virginia ves The Tennessee Senate has passed the bill abolishing the State Guard and the Gov-

The advocates of removal of the Capitol from Washington have already organized for a raid on Congress.

The President's Message was transmitted by the Atlantic Cable and published in Lon on on Tuesday morning. The Hon. J. S. Gallady, member of Co. ress from Kentucky, spoke in Frank-ort on Wednesday night in favor of repu A case was argued in the U.S. Supren

of Congress to tax the production in the The California Legislature met yesterday The new members were sworn in and ad-journed till this morning. Both Houses eld caucuses last night.

Court on Tuesday, which involves the right

Mr. Burlingame has received intelligene that the Chinese American treaty has been ratified by the Pekin government and the attested copy despatched by special messen ger to Washington. The House Judiciary Committee has in structed General Butler to report to the House a bill for the repeal of the Tenure of

Office act. It is believed the bill will pass the House with little opposition. Speaker Blaine is not in favor of a Recirocity Treaty with the British Provinces Ie thinks, if the Provincials desire to hav

our markets free to their products, they can

est secure that by annexation Resolutions were adopted in the House esterday, relative to reducing the expense of obsequies of Congressmen, the exemption of the Quakers under the income tax, and the rights of America in connection wit the French cable.

President Grant's message was received in Havana with very diverse expressions of feelings, of course. The Spaniards rejoice, and look upon it as a harbinger of peace and prosperity, while sympathizers with the insurgents are proportionately cas down.

The Tennessee House has adopted a res ition to adjourn on the 22nd inst., to the 1st of January next, and passed on a first reading a bill providing for the funding of the State debt due and accruing between this and 1875, together with the notes of th Bank of Tennessee. The Census bill was proceeded with in

Committee of the Whole House yesterday. The provise to the fourth section, that is cities comprising more than one Congres sional District, one superintendent might appointed to do the whole work, was struck out. An amendment was adopted roviding for the collection of much value ble commercial and social statistical infor nation, as also another imposing a fine of \$5000 on any corporation refusing or neg-lecting to give required information. The Governor of California sent his mes-

sage to the Legislature yesterday. He con-gratulates the people on the prosperity of he State, commends the school system, regards an efficient militia as indispensable to the enforcement of the laws and public order, recommends State aid in pr imigration from Europe, says the State has the power to prohibit Chinese imigration, and advocates a thorough geological survey of the State. The debt is \$4,068,000.

B'lls were introduced in the House yesterday for the transfer of the Philadelphia coasting trade laws; to divide the State of Michigan into three judicial districts; to establish a uniform rule of naturalization: making it incumbent on pension agents to nake out the semi-annual papers sioners, and to administer the oath with out fees; to give farmers and gardners imnunity from the produce brokers' tax, and o provide for the sale of all coin in the Treasury save that required for the pay nent of interest.

INDUSTRIAL.

Robert E. Lee has written a very handome letter on Peabody's death. James Mace, the English pugilist, has ac cepted a challeng from Tom Allen.

S. G. Dougherty is a fellow who lost \$200,000 in one day on Erie and then prulently died. Speaking of Admiral Stewart, the Scranton Democrat says that "he was the oldest naval officer in the army."

The Augusta Constitutional calls Beecher "the saintly corporosity of Ossawattomic Brown's ordinance officer." Westminster, Vt., with a population of 1,700 persons, takes twelve hundred daily, weekly, and monthly periodicals.

Gen. Ames, the military commander of Mississippi, is a native of Maine, a graduate of West Point in 1861, and unmarried. Susan B. Anthony nursed a baby the

other day in the cars, in a manner brought tears to every eye, the baby's in-There have been two thousand five hun dred new buildings creeted in Chicago during the past year at an expense of \$10,000,-

A man in Chester county, Pa., has been fined for allowing obnoxious weeds to grow on his farm; to the damage of his neigh

pounds of freight received.

the locomotive."

the pulsations of Paris and New York, and

the hills resound and re-echo the whistle of

We have heard of a case that occurred

not many years ago in this county. A wid-ow woman held property which she might transfer while she remained single, but which, according to her husband's will, she

could not dispose of if she married again,

and in the course of time she desired to transfer the property left by her first hus-band. This, of course, she could not do, the provisions of her first husband's will in-

hibiting her. Here was a quandary. A

lawyer of this city was consulted. He "set things up" for the wife and her hus-

She went home, told her husband what advice the lawyer had given her, and he thought it "just the very thing." And what,

reader, do you sul pose that advice was?

Simply this:
The husband and wife were to quarrel and

The husband and wile were to quarrel and fight every day, and this was to be done in the presence of the children of the wife, who were well-grown, and they were made to believe the quarrelling and fighting were genuine, instead of feigned. The programme was carried out to the letter, and then the brokend applied for a diverse.

husband applied for a divorce. He sets forth "incompatibility" in his complaint, the wife admitted it, and the children swore

Sugar-making is about over in Louisiana. The yield has been generally small, in some instances barely realizing more than a half ag. Sealskin waistcoats are very much sought after this winter, and in consequence the price of fur skin has advanced more than The tide of emigration from the South to

Arkansas and Texas through Memphis is constantly increasing. The most go to Loose cattle about the railroad station in Iouston, Texas, eat more cotton than their heads are worth. A few days ago a number of bales of cotton were eaten perfectly hol-

was going to "make application for a place as firemen to the devil," and took arsenic The Berlin (Wisconsin) Courant estimate the shipments of wheat from that section in Enjoy the blessings of this day, if God October at nearly 80,000 bushels. There were seven hundred and seven thousand sends them, and the evils bear patiently and sweetly. For this day only is ours, we are dead to yesterday, and are not born to-mor-

row. "I will have order!" shouted the captai of a schooner to his refractory cook. idewalk, and five or six houses comprised

self. I will have discipline on board the 'ere vessel!" A barber drawned himself off Westmini ter bridge the other day, leaving a note which said: "I have suffered from live complaint for 40 years. Can you wonder am not a godly man?"

Two rival belles met at a ball, "How well you look under candle light! exclaimed one, with a stress on the candle. "And how charming you look in the dark

Worship founded on the vastness of cree tion, on great spaces and large numbers, measures not the greatness of God, but the narrowness of human vision and the feeble ness of human bodies.

lady waddles about like a goose. A charming girl of Boston, is about es-tablishing a female barber shop. Ten sylphs are being put through a tuitonary

o say that a man named Smith broke down telegraphic poles. He was waited upon by to retract his assertion or point out the Smith alluded to.

as she desired to do, the next day the diverced couple were remarried. Such is one of the phases of the divorce practice.

It is confidently believed in Madrid hat President Grant intends to seize Cu

All the conditions of the Sultan's ultima um have been accepted by the Khedive Egypt.

Several cities of France were illu honor of the opening of the Ecun

A majority of French and many Germs bishops will resist a declaration of Papal :

Lord Clarendon will soon reopen negotion with the United States for the settlement of the Alabama claims. Alexander of Russia has conferred th

Frand Cross of St. George on the King Prussia in token of the cordial relations ween the countries. Mr. Burlingame, the Chief of the Chine Embassy, has received information that the treaty made by him with the United State

Traupman, the Pantin morderer, is trying a new trick by endeavoring to bewilder the Parisian authorities by making the most extraordinary and irreconcilable confessions of

Forcade's recent speech in the Frenc Corps Legislatiff is commended by the semi-official journals, which state that the contemplated change in the Ministry cannot The Anti-Papal Congress in Naples yes

terday had a very large representation of Italian delegates. Garribaldi, Victor Hu-go and other leading radicals sent letters of xcuse for non-attendance. In the Spanish Cortes lately, it was int mated by the Minister of State that Spain would be protected at all bazards agains

any measures adopted by the Ecumenic Council hostile to her interests. Letters bave fallen into the hands of th Spanish authorities at Havana, in which General Goicourla demands from the resi dents of Havana sums of money varying from \$2000 to \$10,000, to be sent the American Consul at Nassau.

The Museum of the Louvre in Paris ha just bought a group in ivory representing Venus bound by Cupid, for the sum of \$7,000. It was originally presented b Louis XIV to the Chinese Ambassador, an was taken by a soldier at the sack of the Sumer Palace, who sold it for \$20.

The King of Prussia, by a special decree has ordered that hereafter the birthday of Martin Luther, the great German reformer-the 10th of November -shall be considere and celebrated as a thanksgiving day, by all the Pro estant Churches of the Pro

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES.

Carmichael was stabbed to death by his other-in-law, Wm. Crawford, in Scrant Pa., on Tuesday.

A San Francisco youth ate so much the ther day that he couldn't breathe, and the strangled to death. Joseph Fisher, of Keysport, Pa., fell face

downward into a mudhole, while drunk, on Wednesday last, and was smothered to

death. An English steamer, while raising an an-chor in the harbor of Vera Cruz, snapped the anchor chain, and three sailors were killed and seven wounded.

Jame Galloway shot and instantly killed is partner, Michael Conn, in 176 William street, Federal Hill, Baltimore, yesterday The rotary bleatcher in the paper mill of Mr. Black at Marseilles, Illinois, exploded on Monday, entirely demolishing the building,

and killing two and wounding 15 womer An Indiana man, of an enquiring turn of mind, put one end of a gun barrel into the fire, and looked down the muzzle to see if it vas loaded. A coroner's jury decided that it was. A man named James Gould was suffeen

ted in New York last Thursday, by pulling his hat so tightly over his face that he could not get it off. An inquest was held and a verdict rendered in accordance with A man at Mitchell, Ind., who had a law

suit decided against him, came up with the judge nicely. He got drunk and laid down on the railroad track, and the cars kindly reversed the decision by cutting him up int Wm. Hurd got drunk at Sonoma, Cal. last week, and spoke to his friend Wm. Hud-son thus: "I wish, Will., you would cut my broat." Will, immediately borrowed

cnife and accommodated his friend, who was buried next day. The Blackfeet Indians, who are very nu merous in Montana Territory, have left their reservation, organized war parties, and rob-bing and murdering the white people and evidently need a little vigorous attention from Phil. Sheridan.

At Philadelphia, on Friday afternoon Thomas Hastin, residing on Simes street, struck his wife in the head with a hatchet, and then cut his throat, while laboring under a temporary fit of ineanity. Hastin in a critical condition.

While the relatives of W. H. Woodward ob printer at St. Louis, were celebrating his in wedding, at his residence Friday evenng, an infant child of a married sister was mothered in a cradle, it is supposed, by one of the guests laying his overcoat on it, unin

MISCELLANEOUS.

One of the latest fashions for ladies is small leather belt worn about the waist to which is attached a small shopping

Seven companies of infantry are now the barracks at Omaha. The report that troops were to be forwarded to Utah is un-

rue, as no trouble is apprehended there. A poor fellow in San Francisco, unable o get work, wrote a note stating that h

you don't cook the dinner, I'll-do it my

inswered the other.

The "Alexandria limp" is the latest eccentricity of fashion. It is produced by wearing a very high heeled boot on one foot, and a flat heeled boot on the other. The young

course of lather for the opening. A swee shave will cost twenty-five cents, and a se raphic champoon 50 cents. A Pacific slope editor had the impudence Elenor, in the 14th year of his age

"Why don't you get married?" said a coung lady the other day to a bachelor friend.

of the phases of the divorce practice,—New Albany (Ind.) Commercial. A Canadian postmaster had a keg of damaged powder, and one night thought he would see if it was good for anything by throwing a lump into the fire. The lump jumped back into the keg, and the building was without a roof in a very short time.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON.

Congressional.
Washington, Dec. 18.—Senate adjo half-past one o'clock after passing the Georgia ill. Vote stood 40 to 9. The only changes made are the adoption of the 15th an preliminary to restoration, and the retention of seats by those who claim that they served the

leracy under duress. The title of the bill was amended to "pro mote" instead of "perfect the reconstruction giving further license to Congress in controlling

corgia's action as a State. The Reconstruction Committee is hearing an immense amount of evidence regarding local politics and the conduct of the Virginia Judi dary. There is no prospect of any definite ac-

tion to-day. WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Banking and Currency Committee send Sub-Committee to New York to investigate the gold panic.

The impeachment of Judge Trigg, of Tennes see, is probably for alleged partiality against the

Reconstruction Committee postpoucd the Virinia matter until after recess. House considers the Georgia case Monday. No doubt it be rushed through under the previo

MARKETS.

New York-Liverpool-Baltimore-Wilmington-Cincinnati. dull at 40. Rosin dull. Crude Turper changed. Tar shade lower at \$2 to \$2.05. Cot-

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 .- Cotton dull and un hanged. Sales of 1,000 bales at 25 for uplands. Flour unchanged. Wheat quiet and very firm. Corn unchanged. Whiskey lower-sales of obls. Western at 95 to \$1.03, closing at 95. Pork neavy and lower at \$31.75 to \$32.30; new mess \$33.25 to \$33.50- Lard quiet and heavy-kettle 19 to 1914 - Naval Stores dull-

The bank statement is unfavorable. The los of the legal reserve nearly one million and a half Sterling 831/2 to 831/2. Gold 201/2 to 201/2. Gov rnments heavy. Sixty two's 13 to 1316. Southerns steady. Georgia Sixes 82. Stocks closed

BALTIMORE, Dec. 18 .- Cotton steady at 25. Flonr quiet. Wheat firmer at 35 to 40. Corn firmer. Provisions dull, nothing doing. N. C.'s

old, 281/2 bid.

Railroad Meeting at Dobson.

Pursuant to the recommendation of a public meeting held at Mount Airy, which appointed delegates and other citizens of the county of Surry, at Dolsson, a public meeting was announced to take place in the Court House at 12 o'clock, on Tuesday, 16th of November. A very large crowd assembled from all parts of the County. John Banner, being appointed chairman, and A. C. Hampton, Secretary.

The Honorable J. M. Cloud, being called

on expanded the object of the meeting in a favorable and impressive speech. When on motion, the chairman appointed the fol-lowing named gentlemen, to prepare busi-ness for the consideration of the meeting I. F. Graves I. C. Gilmer J. J. McMickle R. R. Galloway, H. N. Wolff, John Hamlin, M. Y. Folgee, T. J. Williams, Vestal Hutchins. Samuel Scott, H. M. Wangh A. C. Cock-

on, explained the object of the meeting in

erham, James Abells, Dr. N. A. Wolff and Joseph Hollinsworth. After announcement of the committee the neeting adjourned for half an hour. At the appointed time the meeting reas sembled, when the committee reported the

sembled, when the committee reported the following resolutions:

1. Resolvod, That we respectfully suggest to the President and Directors of the North Western North Carolina Railroad the propricty of memoralizing the Legislature to amend their charter so as to authorize the said road through the county of Yadkin, if under all the circumstances that route shall be deemed best. 2. That we suggest, if it meets the approval of the citizens of Yadkin, Wilkes, and

the other counties directly interested in this

the Northwestern North Carolina Rail-road, that the charter of the Yadkin Valley branch of the said road be so amended as to remove the restrictions which require the said road to be located at any point along the line of the road.

3. That we suggest that the charter of the Plaster Banks and Salt Works Railroad be so amended as to remove the restrictions

which require that said road be located at any designated point along the line of the Railroad between the terminal points.

The resolutions were discussed by Messrs.
Joseph Dobson, McN. Waugh, and J. L. Macey, after which they were adopted almost unanimously. most unanimously.

On motion the Secretary was requested to furnish copies of the proceedings of the meeting for publication in the Sentinel and STANDARD at Raleigh; the Sentinel at Win-

ston and Old North State at Salisbury.

JOHN BANNER, Chairma

Married, in the city of Richmond, Va., on the

15th of December, by Rev. Dr. Hoge, Mr. A. D. TAYLOR, of Raleigh, N. C., to Miss ANNIE V.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father

by Rev. Solomon Apple, on Tuesday night last,

Mr. LOPTIN B. SCOTT, of Person county, to Miss

Married, in Wilmington, December 15th, 1869

HANNAH L. MITCHELL, daughter of B. F. Mitch-

Married, in Thomasville, N. C., on Tuesday

evening, December 14th, by Rev. B. Craven, D. D., Rev. Jos. L. Keen, of Wilmington, to Miss Georgia Hogan, of Thomasville, N. C.

Married in Milton, on Thursday Dec. 9th, by

J. L. Staten, Esq., Mr. Jas. A. Hall to Miss

AMERICA SMITH, all of Pittsylvania county, Va.,

Married in Caswell county, on Tuesday Dec.

7th, by Rev. S. G. Mason, Mr. THOS. L. LEA to

Married in Charlotte, on Tuesday, Captain A

Also, on the same day, Mr. BURT GASTON

Married in Person county, at the residence of

the bride's lather, on the 9th day of December, 1869, by the Rev. J. E Moutague, Mr. John L.

Finch, of Hillsboro, N. C., to Miss MATTIE D. D. daughter of John J. Ellison, Esq.

Married in Hillsboro, on Wednesday last,

Captain WOOSTER, o' Wilmington, to Miss Sur

Married in Wilmington, on the 8th of Decen

ber, by the Rev. H. L. Singleton, Captain A. A.

Married in Wilmington, on Monday night, at

the residence of the officiating magistrate, by William H. Merrick, J. P., Mr. CHARLES MC

MARRIED, near this city, at the residence of

the bride's father, on the 9th inst., by Rev. Wm.

E. Pell, Mr. John C. Utley to Miss Bettie An

MARRIED, in Yadkin county, on the 28th ult,

by B. C. Myers, Esq., Mr. HENRY FLEMING to Miss Lou A. VESTAL, daughter of Daniel Vestal,

Deaths.

Died, in Orange county, on the 15th of Octo-

ber, WILLIAM DUSKIN, in the 80th year of hi

age. He was a devoted christian and a bright

and exemplary member of the Baptist church for

DIED, in Rockingham county, on the 20th ult.

DIED, in Halltax county, N. C., on the 11th

DIED, at Rocky Point, New Hanover co., on

he 15th ult., Mrs. Catharine, wife of Sterling

Digo, in Rutherfordton, on the morning of the 11th hat., Mrs. Manyra, wife of R. A. Wal-

DIED, in Wilmington, on the 10th inst., MARY

DIED, at the residence of his father, in For-sythe county, N. C., on the 27th alt., A. L.

inst., CHARLIE, son of Charles and Judith A.

LABOUS C. HOLDERLY.

GAMBLE.

DREWS, daughter of Mr. R. M. Andrews.

NASH, daughter of Henry K. Nash, Esq.

MOSELEY to Mrs. EMMA NIXON.

MILLAN to Miss OUILLY ANN LUCUS.

BURWELL to Miss ELLA JENKINS.

and were married on the banks of Dan river.

MCFARLAND, of Richmond.

ell, Esq., all of Wilmington.

Miss SALLIE KING.

Miss MARY E. ALLISON.

BETTIE SMITH.

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